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All lanes open on Grand Avenue in Lindenhurst

CHICAGO – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that all lanes are now open on a reconstructed and widened Grand Avenue (Illinois 132) from just east of Munn Road to Deerpath Drive in Lindenhurst.

As the project nears completion, some additional work remains, including landscaping and other miscellaneous items. Intermittent lane closures will be required through late October to complete the work.

During this time, motorists should continue to anticipate occasional delays and allow extra time for trips through this area. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to flaggers and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits and be on the alert for workers and equipment.

The \$14.8 million improvement project will enhance safety and mobility for motorists, bicyclists and pedestrians. Grand Avenue was resurfaced and widened to allow for a raised landscaped center median, with dedicated left-turn lanes and modernized traffic signals at multiple intersections. New sidewalk and curbs were built along the south parkway, along with a multi-use path on the north parkway. Throughout the project, new ADA-compliant sidewalk ramps were installed, and sewers were upgraded.

The project is expected to be completed in November, with landscaping, including new trees, shrubs and perennials completed next spring.

Over the next six years, IDOT is planning to improve more than 3,300 miles of highway and 8.4 million square feet of bridge deck as part of the Rebuild Illinois capital program, which is investing \$33.2 billion into all modes of transportation. Year One included approximately \$2.7 billion of improvements statewide on 1,706 miles of highway, 128 bridges and 228 additional safety improvements.

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